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Application No. Applicant(s)

Garner et al.

Interview Summary Examiner

Brian R. Stanton

Group Art Unit 1819

All participants (applicant, applicant's representative, PTO personnel): (1) Brian R. Stanton (4) (2) Gary E. Parker Date of Interview Dec 18, 1996 Type:

| Telephonic | Personal (copy is given to | applicant | applicant's representative). Agreement X was reached.

was not reached. Claim(s) discussed: All in general and particular claims of Examiner's amendment. Identification of prior art discussed: none Description of the general nature of what was agreed to if an agreement was reached, or any other comments: Applicant was advised of nature and content of Exmainer's amendment placing application in condition for allowance. Applicant authorized said amendment and was advised that a notice of allowability would be forthcoming.

(A fuller description, if necessary, and a copy of the amendments, if available, which the examiner agreed would render the claims allowable must be attached. Also, where no copy of the amendents which would render the claims allowable is available, a summary thereof must be attached.)

1. X It is not necessary for applicant to provide a separate record of the substance of the interview.

Unless the paragraph above has been checked to indicate to the contrary, A FORMAL WRITTEN RESPONSE TO THE LAST OFFICE ACTION IS NOT WAIVED AND MUST INCLUDE THE SUBSTANCE OF THE INTERVIEW. (See MPEP Section 713.04). If a response to the last Office action has already been filed, APPLICANT IS GIVEN ONE MONTH FROM THIS INTERVIEW DATE TO FILE A STATEMENT OF THE SUBSTANCE OF THE INTERVIEW.

2. Since the Examiner's interview summary above (including any attachments) reflects a complete response to each of the objections, rejections and requirements that may be present in the last Office action, and since the claims are now allowable, this completed form is considered to fulfill the response requirements of the last Office action. Applicant is not relieved from providing a separate record of the interview unless box 1 above is also checked.

Examiner Note: You must sign and stamp this form unless it is an attachment to a signed Office action.